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GOOD ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC MEETING OF CELEBRATION COMMITTEES

The general meeting of all people interested in the August 3 celebration, which was held at Odeon Hall on Tuesday evening, was well attended and the reports of committee chairmen and plans of the committees held the interest of the audience.

The meeting was opened by Herbert R. Bean, commander of George A. Munst Post, American Legion, sponsors of the coming celebration. Mr. Bean introduced Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven as chairman of the general committee, who first brought the celebration idea before the Legion at a meeting early in May. Mr. Van gave an outline of the work as planned and showed the progress thus far. He called on the committee heads for further information which was placed before the meeting.

W. C. Carey stated that the Fifth Infantry Band of Portland had been secured for the day. Harold Lurvey has secured an aviator who will provide thrills aplenty and also carry a parachute. He will also take passengers during the day. A good ball game is assured, probably between Bethel and their old rivals from Lovell. The greased pole will be a great attraction and it is understood that a pig will be the prize sought for under novel conditions. The "Malineolans," famous dance orchestra of Farmington, will furnish music for the dances, which, it is said, will be held on a newly built outdoor pavilion.

Herman Mason's committee has the parade in charge and he asked the help of everyone in providing floats and suggesting other features to make his project a success. The refreshment committee, under Milo McAllister, have a big program all their own. Dinners will be served by the Auxiliary at the Congregational Church dining room, and the Legion will have stands at strategic points where will be served bushels of beans baked in the ground, huge quantities of fried clams, as well as the usual line of hot dogs and other refreshments.

The pageant committee has its work well in hand. A cast of over 30 people have their parts assigned, costumes and much necessary paraphernalia are being assembled, and every detail will be in readiness at the final rehearsal the last of this month.

A stirring address was given by Rev. L. A. Edwards, in which he stressed the necessity of cooperative effort and the need of everyone's help in broadcasting the news of Bethel's celebration to their friends away from home and all with whom they come in contact.

A large number of posters and automobile stickers have been circulated to advantage over a wide area surrounding Bethel, and a revised edition of the large poster will be out shortly, showing the more complete program as arranged at this time.

An extra edition of the Citizen will be issued on the big day in cooperation with the Legion. This will contain interesting accounts of the business people of the town, many facts of local historical interest, and a large number of illustrations of the town and its people of the present day. It will be on sale at a price in keeping with 1931 conditions, so that all will be able to buy a copy for themselves and a few to send to folks who were unable to be here.

Another "pep meeting" will be held at the same place on next Tuesday evening. Plan to be there if possible and learn the details of the big work that the Legion and so many Bethel people are putting across.

MRS. MAHEL SALLS

Mrs. Mabel Salls of Locke Mills passed away at the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston Thursday afternoon, July 2. She had been in ill health for some time. About two weeks before her death she was taken to the hospital where everything possible was done to make her comfortable.

Mrs. Salls was born in Greenwood, June 25, 1854, the daughter of Charles Wesley and Hetsy Cummings Cole. She is survived by her husband, George Salls; one son, Leslie Cole, and six daughters, Gladys, Maud, Hazel, Eunice, Avis and Rita Salls. Several brothers and sisters and her father also survive.

Funeral services were held from the church at Locke Mills Sunday afternoon, July 5, at two o'clock. Rev. L. A. Edwards officiated. Burial was at West Paris.

Adelaide Lord of Auburn is the guest of Miss Fannie Hastings.

MELLIE STILL GOING STRONG

Mellie and Gram did not go to Denmarkscotta over the 4th, but are booked to go there with Archie Cole for the horse races and dance July 8th-9th.

Their engagement for the holiday week end was at Medomak, near Waldoboro and Friendship. They played at an all night dance before the 4th where Mellie was a special feature on the program. At daybreak they were driven to Mr. and Mrs. Osler's and slept till 11 A. M. Then they were taken autoing, sightseeing for two hours. Their ride ended at Friendship where they were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Hahn at their beautiful home. Here they saw a wonderful collection of lamps, 1500 in a building by themselves, arranged by color and type most attractively. Many had unique histories. In a large loft over their garage was a collection of old fashioned furniture and relics, including a seaman's chest and sail bench with complete tool kits for sail making and mending. Mellie is writing his friend, Henry Ford, that it is a collection to delight his eyes.

A wonderful shore dinner at the hotel as Dr. and Mrs. Hahn's guests was then in order and afterwards out on the pier Gram had her innings showing her skill as a fisherman with hook and line. In a very short time she had quite a catch of eunners and other fish. Moving pictures were taken of the party. They were cordially greeted as old friends by Mr. Armstrong, who is a friend of Mr. Jellerson in Norway.

On July 10th, Mellie and Gram are booked with Brim Jewett, manager of their old act, "Rustic Folks." For the 13th Joe Roman has notified them that they are wanted for a week's engagement by the owner of Brownhurst at Cape Cod Canal.

This gay young couple, well in their seventies, despite their engagements that take them around the states, still find time to receive old friends in their bungalow in the hills of Norway. Mr. and Mrs. Newt Newkirk of newspaper fame, who are stopping at Lovell camps, paid them a visit this week.

TOMORROW IS CIRCUS DAY

The big Walter L. Main Circus will be in Bethel on Friday, July 10, for the first time in several years. It is understood that this big production will be given at Riverside Park. This is said to be only big how left that actually gave a big tree street parade at noon and also a big free show in front of the tents before each performance.

A big attraction is the Hannaford family of bareback riders featuring George Hannaford, the "riding fool," the greatest human equestrian living. "Come early and see the big elephants help put up the big tents. This big show is at Bethel one day only with performances at 2 and 8 P. M.

Don't forget that the prices of admission have been reduced and are in keeping with conditions. Children under 10 years are charged 25 cents and adults pay 50 cents for the combined circus and menagerie.

AUTOMOBILES TURN OVER

Automobile mishaps were numerous the past week end. Although no serious injuries resulted some of the escapes were almost miraculous.

A Ford roadster owned by Ralph Sessions of Newport, Vt., and containing a third passenger besides him and Mrs. Sessions, was overturned at Skillingston Sunday night as a result of blinding headlights. None of the party was seriously injured.

Early Monday morning Augustus and Eugene Lebel of Brunswick, in a Paige sedan bearing Vermont plates, left the road just east of the J. P. Skillingston barn at Skillingston. They struck a large chestnut telephone pole with sufficient force to break it off and throw the but up into the wires where it hung. The car came to a stop at the next pole, but not until that, too, was broken. The Lebels continued on their way on the Lewiston bus. A wrecker from Island Pond towed the car back home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Jodrey were in Norway Tuesday.

Rev. R. C. Daisell and Charles Hastings enjoyed a motor trip through the White Mountain region this week. O'Neil and Edward Robertson are delivering the Citizen in the village or present. The regular boys, Stanley and Donald Brown are confined at home with the whooping cough.

KIMBALL-BEAN

The Rev. R. C. Daisell, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Bethel, officiated at the wedding of Miss Marian Elizabeth Bean and Charles Chester Kimball, which took place Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence K. Fox in the presence of the immediate families and a few invited guests, to the number of about thirty.

The double ring ceremony was performed at eight o'clock, under an arch of evergreen. The rooms were prettily decorated with potted plants and cut flowers.

The bride was gowned in white georgette with veil held in place by orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses and sweet peas. Her only ornament was a diamond pendant, the gift of the groom. She entered to the strains of the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin, played by Miss Eva Ladd, a classmate. She was attended by Miss Emmeline Heath of Gilead, who wore pale green georgette and carried yellow carnations and snapdragons. Mr. Carlton Lapham of Locke Mills was best man.

Mrs. Kimball is a graduate of Gould Academy and Farmington State Normal School and has taught in Greenwood, Bethel, and South Portland. Mr. Kimball is a graduate of Woodstock High School and has employment at Locke Mills.

After the ceremony a short reception was held and refreshments were served. Miss Margaret Daisell was in charge of the guest book.

Mrs. Kimball received many beautiful and useful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball left immediately on a motor trip through Canada visiting Niagara Falls and other points of interest. They will be at home to their friends after August 15, at their home on Mason Street, Bethel.

Fred Hazelton of N. Waterford was taken to the C. M. G. Hospital Tuesday, suffering from a gunshot wound thought to be self-inflicted. His condition is reported as favorable.

SALVATION ARMY APPEAL

Plans are being finalized for a County Appeal for The Salvation Army. The past year and a half has been a severe financial strain on the Army's finances, as there have been so many additional requests made to this organization for various kinds of relief, and the Army workers have done their best to supply those in dire need with food, clothing, fuel and medical aid.

While the requests are not nearly so many at present, yet with the winter ahead the Army must fill its coffers and also supply rooms with the necessities so that no worthy soul shall be turned away unhelped.

Henry H. Hastings has accepted the chairmanship of the County Appeal and Elisha Pratt of Rumford will serve as treasurer.

While it will be County Appeal, yet the larger towns will have their separate appeal in conjunction with the County Appeal. The Bethel committee comprises the following citizens who are staunch backers of The Salvation Army: Henry H. Hastings, County and local chairman of committee; Fred B. Merrill, treasurer; George N. Thompson, L. W. Russell, H. E. Jordan, Dr. R. R. Tibbets, H. D. Thurston, W. J. Upson, Mrs. D. G. Lovejoy, M. H. Hastings, and Rev. Lakeland Edwards.

Further information will be given in next week's issue of the Citizen.

THE LUCKY L-H CLOVER CLUB

The Lucky L-H Clover Club of Bethel held their regular meeting Tuesday night at the Grange Hall. The club girls took up sewing. Ellen Burns and Agnes Howe have a plan to have a play for the entertainment of Grace Foster and Nellie Harcourt had to make the poster. Quite a few of the members were absent. There are 14 members in all. Four members were absent. North Harrington, club reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Emery have recently moved into Harry Lyon's rent on Main Street.

BETHEL 5-NORWAY 1

Bethel defeated Norway July 4 in another well played game by a score of 5 to 1. The local team put a very strong line-up on the field for this game by having Maynard White on third base, who made a very pretty running catch of a foul ball, and R. Bartlett in the box who pitched shut out ball up to the eighth when three bases on balls and three errors tied the score. Things looked bad for the home team at this stage but the rally was finally checked. Bethel came to bat in their half of the eighth and R. Bartlett was passed and then up came Scrubby Wheeler and smashed a rixing three-base hit over the right fielder's head, scoring the winning run. Norway could do nothing in their last trip at bat and the game was put on ice.

The holding and batting of Stubby Wheeler has been the feature of all games played so far. Too much credit cannot be given this boy who has played a fine game all season.

BETHEL: ab r h po a e
Wheeler, R. 4 0 2 0 0 0
Goddard, ss. 2 1 0 2 0 2
Ross, cf. 4 2 1 2 0 0
Swan, c. 4 0 1 6 0 1
White, 3b. 4 1 1 2 0 1
Wheeler, 2b. 4 0 1 0 4 0
Gill, rf. 4 0 1 0 0 0
W. Bartlett, lb. 3 0 0 13 0 0
R. Bartlett, p. 3 1 2 1 8 0
B. Brown, cf. 1 0 1 1 0 0

NORWAY: ab r h po a e
G. Foster, R. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Sawyer, 2b. 4 1 0 1 1 1
J. E. Edwards, cf. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Gardner, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Hall, ss. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Kilgus, lb. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Wheeler, cf. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Merrill, rf. 3 0 1 0 0 0
Ross, p. 2 0 0 0 0 0
LaFrance, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0
R. Coffin, c. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Two-base hit, Swan. 3-base hit, Wheeler. Bases on balls off R. Bartlett 6, on Rouse 4, LaFrance 1. Struck out by R. Bartlett 6, Rouse 4, LaFrance 2. Umpires, Bean and Anderson.

WEST PARIS 2-BETHEL 1

One of the most thrilling ball games ever played here on Tuesday of last week with West Paris, the visitors, nosing out the local team by a score of 2 to 1 in ten innings. The fielding of Bane, shortstop of the West Paris team, was the best ever seen on this diamond. The entire home team played well, not making an error. Gill held Paris to three hits but lost West Paris to three hits on last.

Box score:
BETHEL: ab r h po a e
Wheeler, R. 4 1 2 0 0 0
Eldredge, 2b. 4 0 0 3 3 0
Goddard, ss. 4 0 1 0 0 0
Swan, c. 4 0 1 1 1 0
Gill, p. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Brown, cf. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Bartlett, lb. 4 0 1 0 0 0
Rix, rf. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Hinkley, cf. 1 0 0 0 0 0
R. Bartlett, 3b. 4 0 0 1 1 0

WEST PARIS: ab r h po a e
Ross, cf. 3b r h po a e
Penley, c. 4 0 1 2 0 0
R. Dougherty, p. 4 0 2 1 0 0
Waterhouse, lb. 4 0 0 15 0 0
Procter, 3b. 3 0 0 0 1 0
Bane, ss. 4 1 1 0 3 0
Curtis, lf. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Bean, lf. 1 0 0 1 0 0
Smith, rf. 4 0 1 0 0 0
Andrews, 2b. 3 1 1 1 4 1

Two base hits, Wheeler, Goddard, Stolen bases, Goddard, Ross, Gill, Andrews. Struck out by Gill 2, by Dougherty 6. Umpire, Bean.

Luther E. Morse and wife have returned to Astoria, N. Y., after spending two weeks vacation in Bethel and vicinity. Mr. Morse is employed in the installation department of the New York Telephone Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ramsey of Schenectady, N. Y., and Mrs. Charles Kinney of Corinth, N. Y., Walter Hall and Charles McGarratt of Auburn were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Rand.

Mrs. Lyndal Blanchard and two children from Abington, Mass., are spending a short time with her parents, Judge and Mrs. A. E. Herriek. Mr. Blanchard came with them, returning to Abington Sunday.

In the account of the loving cup presented to Mr. Brasler which appeared in the Citizen of June 18 mention should have been made of the fact that the girls shared with the boys in contributions for the cup.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Foster of Lowell, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bean of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lord of West Paris, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sawyer, Mr. B. H. Haggood and family were Sunday guests at S. G. Bean's in Albion.

FIELD DAY WILL BE HELD AUGUST 5 AT SOUTH PARIS

This year the Farm Bureau and Oxford Pomona Grange will meet at the farm of A. B. Talbot Son, South Paris, for their annual field day, according to the report of the field day committee. The date is August 5.

The Talbot farm, located just out of South Paris on the East Oxford road, is an ideal place for a field day. The farm sets on a high hill with 50 acres of unbroken soil around it. There is a fine alfalfa field which will be nearly ready for the second cutting on August 5. This field yielded 3.3 tons of dry alfalfa hay on the first cutting made June 29. There are about 40 acres of young pine with a woodlot improvement demonstration conveniently located for all who are interested in forestry. Dairying is the principal enterprise, the milk being retailed at South Paris.

The speaking program is being arranged by the Grange Committee and will include some outstanding men and women from within and out of the state.

Special entertainment is being arranged for the day which will include music, drama, baseball game, grape ball and other entertainment features. The rope pull has already attracted the attention of one of our prominent men and strong spirited athletes. At a point where they threaten to challenge all comers. Ten picked men will constitute a team. Any team wishing to accept the challenge should make immediate application to A. B. Talbot, Jr., South Paris, who is a member of the field day committee and secretary of the Oxford Pomona Grange.

COBURN AT LAKEWOOD IN "SO THIS IS LONDON"

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coburn, whose appearance at Lakewood last summer in "The Pilotboat," was the highlight of the season, return next week, starting Monday, July 13, for a special engagement as guest stars in "So This is London." The two distinguished players will be seen in the comedy which was produced by George M. Cohan, which they starred from coast to coast for two seasons.

"So This is London" was written by Arthur Goodrich, the playwright, who is an original visitor at Lakewood. It has been praised as a play which has done more to better the relations between Americans and the British than anything in the last 50 years. Goodrich has spent several years in England, and that the criticism of that country failed to appreciate the good traits of their country and so in terms of humor, he has told a story which shows what Americans think English people are and vice versa and then what they really are like.

Herbert Draper, a wealthy American, comes to London with his wife and his son Junior. The elder Drapers have preconceived notions of Americans and are certain they never will like them. Then Junior Draper falls in love with Sir Percy's daughter and the international alliance brings each side to realize that the other is not half bad. The comedy is told in a series of hilarious episodes that start in a hotel in London and end at a dinner party at Beauchamp Towers.

Mr. Coburn will be seen as Hiram Draper, a role in which no one has excelled him and Mrs. Coburn will play the poised and graceful Lady Duckworth who acts as intermediary between the warring factions.

There will be excellent roles for Jassamen Newcombe, Kathryn Keys, Peg Entwistle, Willis Clark and the other favorites of the Lakewood playgoers. "So This is London" will be given for one week only and will be followed by the engagement of Arthur Byron in "Ten For Three."

Let Miss K's popular orchestra continue to give dance programs at the Lakewood Country Club every Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights, and let us play for the dinner dance at the Lakewood Inn every Monday night. These dinner dances have met with much favor from the patrons of the Inn.

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Faint-Hearted Roger

By CLARISSA MACKIE

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ROGER BLENT awoke with the first birds that splendid summer morning, and after he had listened dreamily to the lulling song of a wood thrush in the orchard, gradually the pressing affairs of every-day life banished the wonder from his dark blue eyes.

Every morning and every night, too, came that tearing pain in his heart when he thought of lovely Lou Hardenge. Between times he crammed his mind with business affairs at the bank.

It is needless to say that Lou was desperately in love with Lou. So great was his pride that he held aloof from the charming girl who bewitched him, because he was merely a clerk in her father's bank—the First National of Happyday village.

Roger Blent had been born and raised in the old-fashioned house where the thrush sang at dawn, and although the Blents had no money to speak of, they did own the old house crammed with antiques, and Roger's father kept bees and raised mushrooms in an old shed on the place.

The face that was reflected that morning in Roger's mirror as he fled his tie was dark and keen, with the dark blue eyes of the Blent family. Roger was undoubtedly handsome as well as tall and broadshouldered, and as he went downstairs whistling blithely, his mother sighed and smiled because her boy was happy.

"Three minutes to go," he said, kissing her soft cheek, and sitting down at table. "I am the last one up, of course."

"Your father has gone across the island with some honey—grandmother is weeding her garden, and of course I am up from habit."

"It's a great morning," said Roger. "Wonderful. Sunny is here to wash today, and she says that the thunderstorm came home from the mountains last night."

"Yes?" said Roger, folding his napkin and thrusting it into the heavy silver ring. He kissed his mother once more and dashed off down the village street.

Promptly at eleven o'clock a very smart little roadster dashed up and Mr. Hardenge came into the bank. The car still lingered. Roger had seen the crown of a small white hat.

"How do you do, Roger," came Mr. Hardenge's pleasant voice and then he was talking about the mountains, and how, after all, there was no better place than Long Island for the summer.

And then Roger Blent received the surprise of his life, for Mr. Hardenge invited him to dinner that evening. Then the bank president went outside and spoke to his daughter before she drove away.

It was Lou herself who came to meet him as he mounted the terrace that faced the bay. She was charming in peach-colored crepe and her dark hair was boyishly coiffed. Her lovely hazel eyes regarded him softly, shyly.

"I am glad that father made you come," she said with a contented little sigh. "The country is lovely, but we have so few real neighbors! People who lived next door with whom one could be friendly—one reads about them in books, but being a city child, of course I never knew any neighbors, although we had plenty of friends. But somehow that seems different."

"My mother has been called a very neighborly woman," remarked Roger. "She is dear," said the girl enthusiastically. "Her hair is so soft and white and her cheeks so pink—I have seen her at church, you know. Your father, too—they seem to be so devoted—like elderly lovers, you know."

It was a delightful meal and the conversation seemed to run on matters concerning the Blent family. The older people asked questions in a subtle way, and Roger was happy to answer. Soon they were all talking about the Blent traditions, the family heirlooms, and then they backed back to some of Roger's famous ancestors.

"We think a great deal of family," Roger said Mr. Hardenge after awhile, "though my own people were simple, honest Englishmen and we had no family background, and my wife was a Welsh school-teacher." "Yes," said Mrs. Hardenge, "my husband was a poor man when he met and fell in love with me—but he deserves it I had been the daughter of a nobleman for he would have asked for my hand for he loved me so much."

"I wonder," Roger said bravely, "if that policy holds good today, Mr. Hardenge. Suppose one of your ancestors loved your daughter—suppose he had nothing but his position, a fine ancestry and a little money saved up—yet loved her and was willing to work like a slave for her?" "If it happened to be you, Roger," she would say, "go to it, oh, Adah!" Mrs. Hardenge nodded, and with a wonderfully tender look at the girl's flushing, downcast face, she added: "There is a sundial down in the rose garden, my dears—it says, 'Faint are never won fair lady—but I am true.'"

And they watched the young people as they down the rose walk hand in hand.

HOW

THIS WAS MADE EMBLEM OF FRENCH MONARCHY. —How the fleur-de-lis or lris became the distinctive emblem of the royalty of France is an interesting legend.

In the encounter between the Franks under Clovis and the West Goths under Alaric II at Vouziers, in 507, tradition tells us that the Franks were at first unable to cross the river, owing to the depth of the water. A deer, however, frightened by the clatter of arms, instinctively ran to the river's bank and crossed safely at a shallow place. There by pointing out a ford to the Franks. At the ford, Clovis observed the lris growing in abundance and recalling the marvelous properties which were then attributed to the plant, saw in the aid of the deer an act of divine intervention. As a pledge of his future victory, the leader dismounted and plucked one of the flowered stems, and then proceeded to cross the river. The marvel proved to be triumphant, and believing that the victory was due to the influence of the lris, Clovis caused the flower to be executed in gold and velvet, and henceforth regarded it as the symbol of victory.

How Big Canadian Lake Got Name of Manitoba

The origin of the name of Lake Manitoba, which was called Lac des Prairies by its discoverer, La Verendrye, and later known to English as the lake of the Prairies, Meadow Lake, lake of the Meadows, and Assiniboine, before the general use of its present name, is a matter of dispute as to whether it was derived from the Cree and Ojibway languages meaning "Stall of the Spirit," or from the Assinibolais, meaning "lake of the Prairies." John Dugas, in his book, "Canadian West," explains it is the latter. He says "the Indians who dwell on the shores of Lake Manitoba and the banks of the Assiniboine at the time of its discovery were Assinibolais whose language resembles that of the Sioux. There were the tribes Matutoba, the Toba, and the Toba. This terminology in their language signifies 'prairie' and 'mine' means 'water.' 'Mine' also means 'yellow water,' 'mine' also means 'water town,' and 'mine toba' means 'water' or 'lake of the prairie.' The English successors to the French pronounced 'mine' as 'mynd'; hence 'manitoba.'"

How Bees Collect Wax

It is a common mistake to suppose that honeybees collect wax from flowers. Beeswax is a product of digestion and is secreted by the workers in the form of tiny scales which appear between the segments on the under side of the abdomen. The notion that bees collect wax from flowers undoubtedly arose from the fact that they collect pollen, which is carried to the hive in small masses attached to the hairs of the hind legs. The pollen, often confused with wax, converted into honey, is mixed with honey, and wax.

How Air Affects Birds

Some birds, such as condors, hawks, eagles, and albatrosses, can ascend to great heights and soar about for hours without any apparent motion of their wings. They are able to do this by taking advantage of the air currents through imperceptible movements of different parts of the body. The principle is similar to that by which a kite or glider is flown. A bird which is flying forward and upward against the wind without flapping its wings is in effect riding on an ascending current of air.

How Easter Was Given Date

A provision of the Council of Nicaea was that the date of Easter should be solemnly announced at the celebration of the Twelfth Night, which is represented by the feast of the Epiphany to commemorate the manifestation of the Son of God to the Wise Men at Bethlehem, at his baptism by John at the Jordan, at the marriage feast at Cana of Galilee.

How to Bore Square Hole

It is possible to bore a square hole. The device has a bit like that of an ordinary auger, with a hollow square casing which has chisel edges. In operation, the auger turns, but the casing does not. It merely follows about one-eighth of an inch behind the auger but on its forward course, cutting out the center core.

How "Waxed" Paper Is Made

The term "waxed" as applied to paper means that the paper has been given a coating of paraffin wax. The coating is usually accomplished by passing a paper through a bath of molten wax and subsequently through aqueous rolls to remove the excess wax and smooth the coating.

How Crickets Make Sound

The chirping sound made by male crickets is produced by a stridulating apparatus on the wings. Crickets make no sound with their mouths.

How Sponge Is Formed

A sponge is the deserted city of millions of little gelatinous animals that once inhabited it.

MILLETVILLE

Lona and Pearl Noble have just returned from a visit with Miss Trainor in Dorchester, Mass., who will be recalled at Mellic's secretary while on Keith's Circuit. Orin Noble is now there on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Millett and Miss Dorothy Millett motored to Revere Beach, Mass., for the week end of July 4.

Mrs. Frank Millett, who is at home from the C. M. G. Hospital, where she submitted to serious surgery, is gaining slowly.

Mrs. Gordon of Dorchester, Mass., is visiting her niece Mrs. Rust Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bixby and son Wallace of Atlantic, Mass., and Charles Bixby of Lowell, Mass., who is a Civil War veteran of 84 years, motored through the mountain notches to their cousin's, Sol Jackson's, at this place Friday, July 3d. The grandfather enjoyed the 300 mile trip despite road construction and air pocket experiences fully as much as the others. They all enjoyed the 4th celebration at the Fair Grounds. They called Sunday on relatives and friends and left Monday at 8:30 A. M. for the return trip. Wallace is remaining for the summer as he did last year.

BRYANT POND

Mr. Young, Bertha Houghton, Evangeline, Doris and friend of West Somerville, came Saturday. Mrs. Houghton and Evangeline will spend the summer here with her mother, Mrs. Annah Perham.

Leslie Abbott and family, Fred Cole and family and Myra Cole, Claude Cushman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cushman of Auburn, and Florence Cushman and Robert Farrington spent the 4th at their cottage at South Pond.

Ralph Bacon of Boston came Friday night and will spend the vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. Crocker of Boston were the week end guests of Miss Myrtle Bacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams Green and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCall of Summit, N. J., are here at their summer home.

Miss Dorothea Billings attending summer school at the University of Maine.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davis and son Millard, Fred Bowler, Clarence Hubbard and Richard Douglass spent the week end at their homes.

Mrs. Glenn Swan and Hilda Fleet were in Lewiston Sunday.

D. S. Curtis of Bridgton and Frank Kennett of Conway, N. H., were in town on business Thursday.

Mrs. Ed Mundt and daughter, Bertha of Grover Hill were visitors at Mrs. Sarah Kendall's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Rand of Harrison were visitors at her mother's.

Mrs. Charles Holmes, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Swan and family were at Screw River Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Waller and Mrs. Kenneth Waller attended a dance at 1 p.m. Friday night.

Harold Enman and Mr. Durand and daughter Evelyn of Rumford Point were in Ketchum one day this week.

Mrs. Nettie Fleet, Hilda Fleet, Mrs. Sarah Kendall and Mrs. Mattie W. Wilkins attended the church services at North Newry Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fisher and family from Massachusetts are staying at their summer home here for a few weeks.

Grover Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Rockwell Howe from Berlin were in town calling Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett and Mrs. C. O. Dameritt of Bethel were in Ketchum Monday.

Guy Caldwell of Rumford was in town Monday.

Mrs. Nettie Fleet and Hilda were visitors at Mrs. Harold Stevens' at Middle Intervale Monday afternoon.

Glenn Swan has employment in the A & P store at Bethel.

Albany—Watford

Stanley Lord and Henry Sanders went to Massachusetts Saturday, returning Sunday with Mrs. Sanders and Fay Lord, who have spent the past ten days there visiting relatives and friends.

The State cross, who have been tarring the Watford-Norway road, have finished and moved to another town. Ernest Grover is transporting the children from North Watford to Watford Flat where a three week session of Daily Vacation School is being held. Sixty-nine were enrolled the first day.

Mrs. Edwin Cummings of Florida, who is spending the summer in Maine, visited relatives in this place last week.

Donald and Ernest Brown have a new Ford. George Crooker and family of Norway were Sunday visitors at M. N. Sawin's.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW

QUESTIONS

1. Is it unlawful to destroy a United States coin?
2. Where and when was the expression "Lafayette we are here," used?
3. Why is it Indians do not grow beards?
4. Do porcupines shoot their quills?
5. Does shaving the beard or trimming the hair make it grow faster?
6. Does an electric fan lower the temperature of the air in the room?
7. Do thunderstorms sour milk?
8. Why are the hands of dummy clocks set at 8:15?
9. What do the letters SOS used in the distress signals by wireless operators at sea stand for?
10. What makes corn pop?

ANSWERS

1. To Last Week's Questions
1. "Merchant of Venice."
2. New Mexico.
3. To avoid paying excessive duty on the tea imported by Britain.
4. Dip seven times in the Jordan.
5. Emperor of Rome in 1804.
6. White people.
7. They carry so many disease germs.
8. Refusal of chief executive to sign a new law.
9. "Great American desert."
10. London Purple. Paris Green.
11. On the upper surface of the tongue.
12. Circumnavigating the globe.

SONGO POND

Miss Mildred Graffam and Miss Ida G. spent the holiday and week end at Charles Gorman's.

Ralph Kimball was in town over the week end.

Carlton Bailey went to Bangor Monday, returning Monday.

George Cummings spent a few days at his sister, Mrs. W. L. Fisher's, home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Donahue and Mrs. E. O. Donahue were in Lewiston one day this week.

Clarence Kimball has gone to Hiram where he has employment with N. Kimball's loader. Silas Littlehale visited at Abner Kimball's over the week end. Guy Perkins and Dayton Merrill called at Charlie Gorman's Sunday. Miss Merle Kimball is working for Mrs. Guy Perkins.

Middle Intervale, Bethel

Miss Alice Carter of Boston is spending the month of July with her father, Herbert Carter.

Helen Carter, who has been spending several days with her aunt, Grace Carter, went to Boston Monday, from there she will go to Boothbay Harbor where she has employment for the summer.

Mrs. Sarah Gunther, who has been with her sister, Mrs. Mary Capen, for two weeks, returned to her home at Howard Gunther's Sunday evening.

B. W. Kimball, Mrs. Irene Foster, Mrs. Fannie Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mason, Mrs. Susan Capen and Stephen Abbott attended Pomona Grange at North Watford last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Stevens and family and Ronald Stevens and family were in Bridgton last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Flanders and daughter of Auburn were callers at Mrs. Fannie Carter's last Saturday.

Ernest Buck and family spent the Fourth with Mr. Buck's mother, Mrs. Orlando Buck.

Ruth Buck and friend, Mr. Bonore from Canton, Mass., spent the week

end with her family on Swan's Hill. Mary Stanley spent Friday in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward and daughter from Scarborough spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ward.

Mrs. Irene Foster entertained Ernest Walker and Miss Minnie Capen at her cottage Sunday.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

France, Alone in Blocking Hoover Moratorium Plan, Is Warned by President—Feat of Globe-Circling Flyers.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

DAY after day Secretary Mellon and Ambassador Edge negotiated with the French officials in Paris in the effort to reconcile the moratorium plans of President Hoover and Premier Laval, and in Washington the President and Acting Secretary of State Clegg were almost constantly at the American end of the transatlantic telephone line, coaching them and learning what progress they were making. At this writing the progress, any, is small.

President Laval, who was continuing to receive the advice and assistance of Finance Minister Flaminio and others, stood firmly on the position he had assumed, and the senate, by a vote of 107 to 5, backed him up, virtually giving him a free hand so long as he did not recede. This huge vote did not indicate that the senate had confidence in Laval, however. He was attacked fiercely and jeered, but the senators had to express their approval of the refusal to give in to President Hoover.

Mr. Hoover then came to bat with a memorandum sent to Ambassador Edge for communication to the French government. This was in effect an ultimatum to France that unless she accepted the Hoover plan she was like to be left out in the cold. The plan was conveyed that if the president's project failed, Germany certainly would apply for a moratorium on reparations as provided by the Young plan, and this, Mr. Hoover argued, would cost France \$100,000,000 more than would the Hoover moratorium. Behind the polite phrases the memorandum seemed to lie the ultimatum that if France rejected the Hoover plan, the administration would establish a moratorium on war debt payments and leave France out.

MEANWHILE President Mussolini over what was considered by some a "stunt" announced that the Hoover plan, which had been rejected unconditionally, was in operation as far as Italy was concerned, on July 1, Italy's foreign minister, M. Flaminio Piccoli, announced that Italy was not collecting sums due on loans on that date; and her creditors, England and the United States, were told she was putting up the sums she owes them, pending final decision.

The state department in Washington said the Hoover plan had been accepted by Belgium and Poland, both of France and by Rumania, and part by Greece and Yugoslavia. France was standing alone in opposition. It was believed in Paris that Premier Laval, after closing down the negotiations, would call a conference of nations signatory to the Young plan to obtain from them a release from the guarantee clause requiring, in case of a moratorium, to place the bank for international settlements on the sum of approximately \$120,000,000 to be applied in part to covering payments to be received from other creditors during the period of suspension.

ON the first time since the World War the federal government began its fiscal year on July 1 with an unbalanced budget. The deficit is about \$903,000,000. Handicapped by reduced revenues, the Treasury found itself confronted with rising expenditures. To the government's efforts to help the farmer, the unemployed and the drought sufferers. About the only favorable factor in the financial situation was a cash balance of over \$100,000,000 with which the treasury ended the new year. This will be used to meet current expenses during the quarter instead of being applied to the deficit.

VILEY POST and Harold Gatty, American aviators, set their plane, the Winnie Mae, down at a gravel field, New York, Wednesday evening. They had accomplished a remarkable feat of flying around globe, approximately 15,475 miles, in 22 days 15 hours and 51½ minutes, a new mark for other flyers to shoot at.

They set out to break the record 22 days made by the dirigible Graf Zeppelin, and they smashed it to bits. At skill in piloting and navigating, unquenchable courage and nerve and a plane that functioned perfectly all tributed to the success of this flight. The route followed by the flyers took them from New York Harbor, N. Y.; thence south to Chesapeake Bay; thence to the Azores, England; Berlin, Germany; Novosibirsk, Siberia; Moscow, Russia; Khabarovsk, Solomon Islands; Alaska; Edmonton, Canada; and back to New York.

They met with no serious accident but at times flew through high winds and rainstorms. New York city on Thursday gave the aviators the usual show and noisy welcome, with parade, speeches and reception by Mayor James Walker. But they were too tired to mind this much. President Hoover invited them to luncheon at the White House, and they received the congratulations of eminent persons all over the world. It is estimated that Post and Gatty will realize about \$50,000 each from their wonderful flight—and they certainly earned it.

PRESIDENT HOOVER'S request to the federal farm board for a definite statement of its policy brought a response from the board, through Chairman James C. Stone, in which its policy was announced on March 23 is virtually restated. Plans from the Middle West and Southwest that the board commit itself to keep its immense wheat holdings off the market, either for a stated period or under a fixed price level, are rejected.

One important concession is made. The board agrees to limit sales of its wheat to 5,000,000 bushels a month, this limit to run on a cumulative basis, the unused portions of the quota to be good for succeeding months. But it excepted from this limitation important contracts with foreign purchasers now under consideration.

To the problem of the wheat surplus there is only one answer, and that is acreage reduction, the board declares. Hope was seen for an improved export market in smaller productions in other countries and in the prospect for better world conditions "that will be created by the President's debt plan."

Chairman Stone, before giving out the statement, conferred with President Hoover, and he said it was satisfactory to the Chief Executive. It certainly was not wholly satisfactory to the grain growers, farm leaders and grain dealers of the middle western states. They continued to urge the board to hold all sales of surplus wheat for a year.

WHAT was the President's national commission on law enforcement and observation, better known as the Wickersham commission, went out of existence with the close of June, and is now just eleven men and women. On Tuesday the fine furniture and equipment were moved out of its offices; after midnight the unexpended remainder of its \$500,000 appropriation reverted to the government; and Chairman Wickersham by that time was the only member left in the National Capital.

Sticklers for exactness said the commission will not actually cease to exist until a final history of its activities and expenditures is written and is accepted by President Hoover. In order to attain this end a temporary commission headquarters has been established near the White House, equipped to accommodate only the chairman and a small staff. There the fifteenth report will be written.

Here is the commission's record: Ten reports have been delivered to the government printer or deposited at the White House; four others, one of them the still-controverted study of prohibition, have been made public.

Since midwinter the commission has completed reports upon the deportation of aliens, "lawlessness in law enforcement," crime among the foreign born, juvenile delinquency, the work of the police, prisons, probation and parole, the costs of crime and a "progress report" upon the work of the court, to be carried on by private agencies.

SENATOR REED Smoot of Utah, chairman of the senate finance committee, has been in conference with the treasury authorities in Washington; and he now says that under the provisions of the Hawley-Smoot tariff law with relation to the products of convict, forced or indentured labor, the Treasury Department will adopt a policy of excluding a large share of the products of Russia.

for W. H. King, who has denounced the idea of shutting out Russian products in blanket fashion and declared that congress did not have such a thing in mind and did not authorize it. Senator Smoot declares it was the purpose of congress to shut out the products of convict, forced or indentured labor, and that the Treasury Department will adhere to the law.

IN a few days Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley will be on his way to our farthest possession, the Philippines, for an inspection tour of the islands. This is because their administration falls under the jurisdiction of the War department.

While the official War department announcement ascribed the reason for the secretary's trip to a desire "to acquaint himself more intimately with the details of Philippine problems," it was understood that Mr. Hurley would study personally sentiment there for independence in preparation for a movement in the next session of congress to free the islands.

President Hoover has been advised by members of both senate and house of representatives that it appeared probable sufficient strength would be mustered in the next session to pass a bill authorizing Philippine independence.

RABBI HIRSH WILBUR, secretary of the interior, before he became president of Leland Stanford University in 1910, had attained considerable fame as a physician and surgeon, and he demonstrated the other day that he has not lost his surgical skill.

Next day the patient's condition was so good that Secretary Wilbur resumed his trip of inspection of the park.

SENOR DON SALVADOR DE MADARIAGA, the new ambassador from Spain, presented his credentials to President Hoover with due ceremony, and the customary polite phrases were exchanged. Then the two dignitaries engaged in an informal chat, as Mr. de Madariaga is a noted writer and in the past has criticized severely some of the policies of the United States in Latin American affairs.

SPAIN is to elect a republic, and a republic will remain in existence, according to the results of the national elections. Valeriano Llerenas, old-time Republican leader and at present foreign minister, is the man of the hour and it is accepted that he will be the first president under the new constitution that is to be adopted by the national assembly that convenes on July 14. The Socialists and so-called radicals will control this assembly, which in fact will be rather moderate in policies. The communists are powerless.

Catalonia still insists on being a separate state in a Spanish federation, but Senor Lerroux predicts that the Catalan movement will soon collapse.

SENATOR SIMEON D. Fess of Ohio, who is a leading member of the senate committee on interstate commerce, predicts that railroad and transportation legislation of a comprehensive character will be considered during the next session of congress. He has studied these questions closely for years, and probably knows what he is talking about. In his opinion, consolidation legislation will again be taken up, and laws for the regulation of the motor bus and the motor truck will be proposed.

Mr. Fess foresees much difficulty in getting legislation enacted to meet the various transportation problems. This difficulty is much enhanced, as he views it, by the competition between the railroads and other forms of transportation. On the one hand, he feels the country cannot get along without the railroads, but on the other, he is convinced the public will not sanction any undue restriction of other forms of transportation.

The Ohio senator is an advocate of legislation to liberalize existing law with reference to railroad consolidation. He sponsored, in the last congress, the Fess-Farmer bill to provide in effect for voluntary combinations. It is interesting to hear, from Senator Fess himself, that he probably will run for chairman of the Republican national committee for another year, despite frequent rumors that he would retire or be displaced. He entered on President Hoover's other day and afterward said: "It appears now that I will serve until convention time next year." However, he insisted he had not discussed the matter with the President.

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SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Some very interesting meetings are being held at the Seventh Day Advent Church in this place. There is a large Sabbath School showing unusual interest and a well-trained choir in attendance.

Mrs. Rose Cole has gone to Everett, Mass., where she will spend the summer with friends.

Mrs. Jessie Andrews entertained on Friday last the members of "Pine Street Boarding House" at a reunion brought in honor of her former classmates of South Paris High School. This event is always looked forward to as a red letter day and was greatly enjoyed by the party, 23 being in attendance, coming from near and far.

Linwood Andrews, with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Emery of Trap Corner, spent Friday evening at the Pirates' Den at Norway Lake.

The same and glorious 4th of July was observed in the most sane and quiet manner possible at this place. Many plans were made in advance that all should enjoy the day to the utmost but that safety should be the key note. Therefore everybody O. K.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean and daughter Elsie of South Woodstock, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Andrews of Trap Corner, and Lyonel Elcher and Miss Betty Sawyer of Lewiston took a two days trip to Canada, going by auto early Saturday morning returning home late Sunday afternoon.

Stanley Andrews of this place, in company with Leon Packard and sister, Miss Elvora Packard, of West Paris, and Miss Velma Hanson of Vermont, took a two days auto trip, spending Saturday, the 4th, and Sunday on a sight-seeing trip around the White Mountains.

Mrs. Velma Davis entertained on Wednesday and Thursday her mother, Mrs. Omar P. Brown of Bryant Pond, and her mother's sister from Portland.

Gerald Davis commenced haying on the Captain Stevens place Monday morning. On this place was built, in the back back of the old buildings, one of the first mills in the town of Woodstock, known as the Captain Stevens saw mill. The high falls at this place, even to the present time, show how water power was utilized among the earliest settlers.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinby Perham and family of their son Edwin and daughter Mildred spent the 4th enjoying a picnic dinner in Albany, where the men-folk went fishing, returning with a good string of the "big red beauties."

A wedding of much interest to their many friends was announced when Martin Benson, one of the Benson Brothers, called and handed out the cards and introduced his wife, Mrs. Benson, nee Miss Ada McKen of No. 1 Paris, a member of the class of 1931, West Paris High School. Mr. and Mrs. Benson, after a short honeymoon spent with friends at Mechanic Falls, have gone to East Dixfield where they will reside for the present. Mr. Benson is one of our most enterprising young men, a good worker and a saver, engaged in the wood and lumber business.

Number of men working on highways of Maine totals 4,600, according to W. C. Maraham, executive secretary of American Association of State Highway Officials.

Maine Industrial Review

New, fast freight service between Portland, New York City and intermediate New England points inaugurated under new schedule by Boston and Maine and New York, New Haven and Hartford railroads.

New England Tel. & Tel. Co. will spend \$131,557 in constructing aerial and underground cable between Brunswick and Lewiston this year.

Guilford-Town purchased new fire truck with pump.

Portland-Maine Central Railroad started oiling roadbeds to lay dust.

Charleston-Contract awarded to Naugler Brothers Co., Inc. of Brunswick for construction of Creamery bridge, on bid of \$5,053.

Damariscotta-Dr. Roy W. Teed purchased new X-Ray machine and installed it in Lincoln County Memorial Hospital.

Williamette-Contract awarded to Nadler Brothers on bid of \$3,900 for construction of Arnold bridge substructure, and contract awarded for steel superstructure to Standard Engineering & Contracting Co. on bid of \$5,170.

Palmyra-Contracts awarded for construction of iron bridge here.

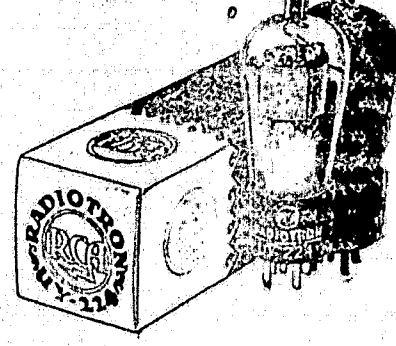
Rumford-Tax rate for town for 1931 reduced 3½ mills.

Contract let for construction of Medomak bridge between Washington and Union, to Wyman & Simpson, Inc. of Augusta, on bid of \$10,411.

Washington-Contract let to Wyman & Simpson for construction of Shil Mill bridge, on bid of \$4,752.

Rumford-Leach Studio moved into modern quarters over Bower's Pharmacy.

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RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts	\$114,805.22
2. Overdrafts	100.52
3. United States Government securities owned	27,460.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and other securities owned	45,904.70
5. Real estate owned	2,250.00
6. Real estate owned of other than banking houses	2,250.00
7. Real estate owned of Federal Reserve Bank	14,500.00
8. Cash and due from banks	51,500.75
9. Other checks and other cash items	254.04
10. Reimbursement for 1 with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	500.00
Total	\$301,306.63

LIABILITIES	
11. Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
12. Surplus	25,000.00
13. Undivided profits--net	46,222.33
14. Reserve for contingencies, etc.	937.50
15. Circulating notes outstanding	10,000.00
16. Due to banks, including cash and cashiers' checks outstanding	7.50
17. Demand deposits	194,141.30
Total	\$301,306.63

State of Maine, County of Oxford, ss: I, Ellery C. Park, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. ELLERY C. PARK, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of July, 1931.

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HERE AND THERE IN MAINE

There was an appalling number of serious accidents and fatalities throughout the State over the recent holiday week end. Fireworks claimed more than the usual number while accidental drowning brought many deaths.

Senator Wallace H. White, head U. S. delegate to the International Conference on Communications at Copenhagen, has recently returned to his home in Lewiston.

Fred Fletcher, 73 year old farmer of Jay, died July 5 from injuries received when his horse became frightened and threw Mr. Fletcher from a mowing machine.

Several forest fires in eastern Maine were reported the first of the week. These fires are thought to be the result of careless campers.

Maine potatoes are very favorably known in the South. A five-year test in Virginia gave Maine seed the highest rank. Maine distributed 1,425,000 bushels of seed potatoes to 24 different States from her 1929 crop.

John P. Jenkins of Norway has just completed 30 years in service on R. F. D. 1. He has used 200 horses, a motorcycle and several automobiles.

Two Maine boys, Monroe Pike Bean of Livermore Falls and Robert E. French of Rumford won \$50 each and a free trip to Detroit, Mich., the close of the Fisher Body Craftsmen's Guild contest in the building of the model Napoleonic Coach, which has been running since Oct. 1, 1930. French also won an extra \$10 prize for upholstery in his model. Both boys are high school students.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. L. A. Edwards, Pastor. 10:45 Morning Worship. Who Are Christ's Enemies?

Who is the greater enemy of the church, the man who boasts of his unbelief, and calculates the faithful; or the man who while professing his faith, by his life repudiates all that the church stands for?

Do we need the stimulation that comes through strong opposition? Is there a poverty of fighting spirit in the church? Do we say that there is no longer anything to fight for?

We are all glad to note the return of our summer friends and we trust that they will not only find a warm reception in our church, but may also find inspiration in the service.

BETHEL M. E. CHURCH. Rev. R. C. Dalzell, Minister. Sunday School at 9:45. Superintendent, Mrs. Bertha Wheeler. Morning Worship, 10:45. Epworth League, 6:30. Evening Service, 7:30. Tuesday evening, Class Meeting.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY. Chapman Street. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Services Sunday morning at 10:45. Subject of the lesson sermon, Sacrament. Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 P. M.

LOOKS MILLS CHURCH. Rev. R. C. Dalzell, Pastor. Sunday School, 1:30 P. M. Church Services, 2:30.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH. George G. Hunt, Minister. Sunday, July 12. 9:30--Sunday School. 10:30--Morning Worship. Sermon, Jesus Prays. 7:30--Evening Worship. Sermon, Stimulating Wonder. Wednesday, July 15. 2:30. Young People's Outing at Tripp Lake.

OILHEAD UNION CHURCH. Thursday, July 9, 7:30, Mid-week Service. Sunday, July 12, 2:00, Sunday School. 2:30 Afternoon Worship.

The story is told that when the great liner, the Titanic struck the iceberg to the north and that fateful day in April 1912 and it became known that the rest of the lives on board would be lost it was said that one passenger, a New York theatrical man turned to his companion and said calmly, "This after all is life's greatest adventure." The thought has always impressed me, such calmness and peace in the face of approaching death could only be produced by a sound philosophy of life. It has been my desire ever since reading the above to order my life that when my time comes to go, I can say with equal peace and courage and faith to those about me, "This is life's greatest adventure."--Frank Dixon.

Films Helped Police in Round-Up of Criminals

Since the films are still from time to time blamed for demoralizing the youth and thereby encouraging crime, it seems only fair that wide publicity should be given to a case where they have proved of important assistance to the police. It is reported that a Berlin producer wished to lead an air of verisimilitude to a scene of low life, hired a number of citizens of the Berlin underworld to "walk on" in the course of the production. The police got to hear of this, and also decided to call round at the studio and walk on, with the result that they presently walked off with several "wanted" men whom they found among the crowd of undeniably sinister supporters.

This seems a great tribute to the "realism" of the production; if the crooks were good enough for the police to arrest on sight they may truly have been said to carry conviction in their faces.--Manchester (England) Guardian.

Educational Problems

The woman who is determined to give her three-year-old daughter a proper foundation occasionally gets an unexpected setback. When she heard the child say "Potato" she took the child to task. "No, no," said the dutiful mother, "not 'potato', but 'potato-to'." The little girl nodded. "And not 'toma-to', but 'to-ma-to', added the conscientious mother. Again the little girl nodded. She understood. An hour later she rushed into the house.

"Guess what I'm eatin', mother." "I give up," replied her mother. "Banana-to," exclaimed the girl triumphantly.

Having laboriously cleared up this rather perplexing situation, mother pointed out to her daughter that to say "banana" and "banana-to" was just all wrong. She felt quite pleased at the child's attitude, but was rather discouraged when her daughter told a neighbor that her doll's chair was "breaking-to." New York City.

Cows Have Passports

The boundary line along the Hungarian-Rumanian frontier, in effect since the World War, has been so intricately drawn that frequently it separates a farming community from the fields where the farmers pasture their cattle. So each cow has to have a passport.

"The numbers on these bovine passports must correspond with the numbers burned on the animal's hoofs," writes E. Alexander Powell.

"It is the duty of the frontier guards to see that a cow is turned back if its papers are not in order. Should a calf be born on the Rumanian side of the line its Hungarian owner could obtain possession of it, I assume, only by an appeal to the League of Nations."

Born

In Bethel, July 6, to the wife of T. S. Walker, a daughter. In South Paris, June 29, to the wife of Ernie V. Vance, a son. In South Paris, July 2, to the wife of Benjamin D. Twitchell, a son. In South Paris, July 2, to the wife of Clayton A. Pike, a daughter. In Paris, June 29, to the wife of John Andrews, a daughter, Sylvia Joyce. In Norway, June 25, to the wife of Laurence L. Brown of New Gloucester, a son, Harry Laurence. In West Paris, June 26, to the wife of Irwin Child, a daughter. In Sumner, June 26, to the wife of Arlan Farrar, a daughter.

Married

In Bethel, July 8, by Rev. R. C. Dalzell, Charles Chester Elizabeth Dean of Bethel. In Bethel, June 24, by Rev. R. C. Dalzell, Frank O. Gilman of Bethel and Miss Ava M. Lord of South Paris. In Mechanic Falls, June 29, by Rev. Wayne E. Hoyte, Ellis S. Dobie and Miss Inez R. Heath, both of West Paris. In Coesmans, N. Y., June 23, by Rev. William E. Jones, Leon S. Hadley and Mrs. Ida R. Jacobs, both of West Paris. In South Paris, July 1, by Rev. E. B. Tolley, Fred S. Swan of South Paris and Miss Ruth Morse of Waterford. In Lynn, Mass., June 27, by Rev. Charles M. Charlton, Elmer Thomas Williams, Jr., of Lynn, and Miss Marian Dudley Hammond, formerly of Paris. In Portsmouth, N. H., June 24, Edgar Sargent of Dorchester, Mass., and Annie Hamilton of Portland, formerly of Waterford. In Norway, June 29, by Rev. D. L. Joslin, Maurice Benjamin and Miss Ann McKen of North Paris. In Lewiston, June 26, by Rev. Leo S. Hanchett, Clifford F. Duman of South Paris and Miss Eleanor A. Wentworth of Lewiston.

Died

In Lewiston, July 2, Mrs. Mabel Ball, aged 46 years. In Quebec, Can., July 5, George Stowell of Wakefield, Mass. In West Paris, July 5, Wendell Verbill, by drowning, aged 14 years. In Newburyport, Mass., June 30, Rev. G. W. F. Hill, formerly of Paris. In Lovell, June 23, Mrs. Oregan, widow of James Irish, aged 52 years. In Fryburg, June 17, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of J. C. Harriman. In Fryburg, June 21, Jerome McKee, aged 83 years. In Buckfield, June 29, Mrs. Susan, wife of Fred Hodgdon, aged 68 years.

WEST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Vashaw of Peru called on friends in town on their way to their home in Berlin, where they they spent the week end.

Mrs. Cora Brown spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Vashaw at Berlin.

Mrs. Ada Mills of Gorham was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kendall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Upson of Bethel called at Clarence Bennett's the first of the week.

A number from this place spent the Fourth at South Paris.

Felix Gogan and two sons, Arthur and Robert, also Mr. Philbrick of Rumford were in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Batchelor of Saco spent the week end at Goodridge Cottage.

Mrs. Fred Robertson and daughter Carol of New York called at Mrs. Estella Goodridge's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland and family of Saco spent the holiday with Mrs. Kneeland's mother, Mrs. Estella Goodridge.

Miss Retta Shaw and Miss Phelps spent the week end with Miss Shaw's sister, Mrs. Mildred Tyler.

Miss Mabel Somes and Haverhill, Mass., is to spend the summer with Mrs. Laurence Lord.

Mrs. F. O. Robertson and sons, O'Neil and Edward, of Bethel called on Mrs. Estella Goodridge recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scribner and daughter Beth of Albany called on his father, Nahum Scribner, one day last week.

Ora Saunders and son Elmo of Albany were week end guests of Carlton Saunders.

Mrs. William Cunningham of Lawrence, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Archie Mann.

Mrs. Ann Harriman of California called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy Sunday.

Philip Stone of Norway was in this village one day last week.

Bessie Blake of Berlin is stopping with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Hall.

A very pleasant surprise party was given Mrs. Joseph Maddocks, July 4 at Camp Logwood, where she is spending the summer, the occasion being her birthday. Friends arrived at two o'clock with a huge birthday cake, ice cream and fancy cookies were served during the afternoon by Mrs. Flora Kierstead and Mrs. Libbie Kneeland.

GROVER HILL

James and Bertha Mundt drove to Cambridge, Mass., Friday. Their sister, Miss Alice Mundt, from Worcester, returned with them for a visit. Mrs. Lillian V. Whitman and daughter Dorothy of Medford, Mass., arrived at their summer camp here Wednesday. M. E. Gibbs of Medford was their holiday guest.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich and daughter of Portsmouth, N. H., were entertained at C. L. Whitman's. Sunday they went to South Waterford to call on Evelyn Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Andrews of Norway were week end guests at Evander Whitman's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jordan and daughter Marion from Mechanic Falls visited at M. F. Tyler's Sunday.

Mrs. B. C. Mills has returned from a visit with relatives in Harrison. Mrs. Alice Holman from Mill Street, Bethel, visited Mrs. Cleve Waterhouse one day last week.

Edward Philbrook from Springfield, Mass., has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Fred Wheeler.

land. She received many lovely gifts. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Batchelor of Biddeford, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland and children, Beverly, Frederick and Reginald, Mrs. Cora Brown, Mrs. Flora Kierstead, and Mrs. Estella Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden of Portland spent the week end at their camp in Gilead.

The ball team played a game at Waterford one day last week.

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It is generally understood that the Academy will have the largest history to enter Gould fall. The Academy was capacity last year, and number of day pupils absolutely necessary to boarding pupils in the order to take part in this respect, it is of Principal have accurate the number of day pupils Academy in September, ed, therefore, that whether from Bethel towns, desiring to enroll in September, notify once.

The following announcement to new members Faculty will be of friends and patrons of Percy F. Crane, High School, V. emy and Bowdoin College graduate work at the Institute of Technology University. For ten years Principal of Washington has done notable work that institution. During Mr. Crane was Second Air Service Non-Flight Squadron Commander and Officer and Sumner in New York, V. H. He is Past Commander Post, American Legion. Mr. Crane was Secretary Senate. He is Past Lodge A. F. & A. M., al Arch Chapter, and Commander. He is a National Education officer of the State association. Mr. Crane was in Mathematics and general oversight of the High School, where he years, resigning to do at the Maine Institute. For one year he did a student at Tech., and as teacher of science. At the end of the invited to Bates College for Prof. Woodcock, granted a year's leave graduate work at. During the past year been a student in the of Harvard University, received his Master's. At present he is summer as Councilor Camps, Jefferson, Mass.

Miss Eleanor L. N. Public Speaking and tion for girls. Miss Nelson of the Leland Power presson, Boston, and has taught Public Nature and Dramatics. She is now coming in Physical Education versity. Miss Nelson of Miss Ellen Cottrell taken at Gould. Miss work in dramatics standing, will go to advanced study in her d.

Mr. Wilbur R. Myer and conduct a Commercial Department of Commerce, at this institution he in all school activities of the Maine School of and President of the ation. Since graduate commercial teacher at in the Merrill High School which he resigned to the Gould faculty. It this new department a ply a long-felt need in curriculum.

The loss of Miss from the faculty next plore. For eleven years has made our Nor second to none in the taught other classes. She has been a with the girls of the and Faculty Advisor serves, and has given